

BLACKSBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT

News Release

DATE: March 22, 2005

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SUBJECT: Malicious Wounding

During the early morning hours of March 22nd, officers of the Blacksburg Police Department responded to a fight call at 900 Prices Fork Rd., Attitudes Bar and Grill at the Blacksburg Holiday Inn. Upon arrival officers encountered armed suspect David Ray Linton. Mr. Linton, 21 of Blacksburg, Va. had been a patron at the bar that evening. When asked to leave by employees he became violent and refused. Mr. Linton produced a pocket knife and attempted to stab at one of the employees. During the struggle, Michael Visotsky of Midlothian, Va. was cut on the hand. He was transported to Montgomery Regional Hospital where he received treatment for his injuries.

David Linton was arrested and charged with malicious wounding and possession of marijuana. He is being held without bond at the Montgomery Regional Jail in Christiansburg, VA.
